DALEY THOMPSON'S DECATHLON

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LOADING

Place the rewound cassette in the cassette deck. Type RUN and then press ENTER key. Following the instructions as they appear on the screen. In case of difficulty refer to chapter two of the user instruction booklet.

PLAYING

The most gruelling event in the history of the Olympiad – all ten events are reproduced and each builds up the points necessary to gain the winners medal

Ist Day – 100 metres, Long jump, Shot-put, High jump and 400 metres.

2nd Day – 110 metres Hurdles, Discus, Pole-vault, Javelin and finally the energy sapping 1500 metres.

CONTROLS/STRATEGY TIPS

Most running events and the Javelin require continuous left to right joystick movement or continuous left and right alternative key depression to increase speed. For Hurdles press fire button to jump. The Long jump and the three throwing events:- Try to achieve a launch of as near to 45° and as close to the take-off line as possible.

The High jump:- On take-off get as close to 90° as you can and then press the fire button to manoeuvre over the bar.

The Pole vault:- Press the fire button to position the pole and release button to let go.

1500 metres:- Operate the running controls to accelerate and the fire button to decelerate - remember to conserve energy for the end of the race.

Discus: - Press run button to start man turning. Press fire button to release the discus.

GO FOR GOLD! GOOD LUCK!

STATUS and SCORING

On-screen scoring shows the number of attempts, points scored, world records, qualifying times and distances. (You begin with three lives which are lost through failing to qualify). A table showing the day, type of event and remaining lives is displayed between each discipline.

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